the same terms as if the contract for the same was awarded as set forth in Section 4 aforesaid.

Sec. 8. And be it further enacted, That this Act is hereby declared to be an emergency law and necessary for the immediate preservation of the public health and safety, and being passed upon a yea and nay vote, supported by three-fifths of all the members elected to each of the two Houses of the General Assembly, the same shall take effect from the date of its passage.

Approved April 6, 1931.

## CHAPTER 144.

AN ACT making the rates, rents and charges for the use and service for sewer, drains and water as determined and charged by the Commissioners of Denton, a municipal corporation of Caroline County, a lien upon the property used or served by said sewer, drains or water until paid, and providing that the same shall be collected as other municipal taxes.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the rates, rents and charges for the use and service of sewer, drains and water as determined and charged by the Commissioners of Denton, a municipal corporation of Caroline County, are hereby declared to be and made liens upon the property used or served by said sewer, drains and water until paid, and that the same shall be collected as other municipal taxes.

SEC. 2. And be it further enacted, That this Act shall take effect June 1, 1931.

Approved April 6, 1931.

## CHAPTER 145.

AN ACT to authorize and direct the County Commissioners of Garrett County to pay four hundred dollars (\$400.00) to the Friendsville Volunteer Fire Department for the purchase of equipment in the year 1931, and to levy the aforesaid sum upon the assessable property of said county.